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DEPUTIES' MEETING

Friday, 3 April 1953

25X1 PRESENT: Messrs. Dulles, Wisner, Wolf, Becker, Kirkpatrick, Amory, Helms and [redacted]

Mr. Dulles:

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b. Reported he had received a call from Admiral Espe who advised that Admiral Miles had made a statement that [redacted] was disturbed over our involvement in [redacted]

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c. Noted his recent conversation with Congressman Sadlak in regard to using Section 8 for [redacted] and after some discussion it was agreed that (1) it would be improper to use the provisions of this law to allow permanent entry into the U. S. for [redacted]

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and (2) Mr. Kirkpatrick would handle this matter with Congressman Sadlak.

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d. Noted the fourth item in the Log of 2-3 April and asked Mr. Helms to determine how we were supporting the organization mentioned therein.

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e. Noted a cable [redacted] [redacted] and indicated his approval for [redacted] to return to headquarters as requested. [redacted] undertook to so notify [redacted]

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Mr. Wisner:

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a. Stated that General Smith had suggested that we brief Messrs. Lourie, Johnson, Morton and McCordle of the Department of State, and this had been tentatively set up for 3 p.m., 7 April in the Director's Conference Room. Mr. Dulles noted that he would "kick off" this briefing.

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Mr. Wisner (continued):

25X1 b. Reported that Dr. Conant was returning to the U. S. within the next week, and during his visit wished to discuss with the Director and the Secretary of State the subject of political subsidies. Mr. Wisner went on to say that [redacted] had prepared an excellent briefing of this problem and the Director asked to see this paper before his meeting with Dr. Conant.

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c. Reported that he had been advised by Mr. Pforzheimer that two members of McCarthy's staff were off on a European tour and had requested permission to contact our people at the various places they might visit. [redacted]

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[redacted] undertook to notify our overseas stations concerned.

Mr. Wolf:

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Reported that [redacted] would be unable to keep his luncheon appointment with the Director on the 7th; however, he could make it on the 8th. The Director stated this would be satisfactory to him.

Mr. Becker:

Stated that a report had been received indicating that there was a possibility that the Soviets may support the Tri-Partite declaration on Trieste.

Mr. Amory:

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Stated [redacted] had agreed to recall all copies of the State Department report on NSC 136/1 after it had been noted by the Council at its meeting on 8 April. NOTE: These reports will be retained in [redacted] office.

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